



Lotus corniculatus

Bird's-foot trefoil

General

1. Perennial forb growing to 0.3m

Geography and Habitat

1. Native: Europe, temperate Asia, northern Africa
2. Habitats
 - Agricultural areas, coastland, ruderal/disturbed areas, riparian zones
 - Intolerant of shade; tolerates maritime exposure



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Invasion Pathways

1. Introduced for cultivation as an agricultural crop

Sources

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